GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3388
ANSWERED ON:14.08.2000
MEDICAL TEACHERS
SHANKERSINH VAGHELA;TARACHAND BHAGORA

Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the medical teachers employed for teaching, training, research and speciality patient care and posted at AIIMS, Post Graduate Medical Education and Research, Chandigarh, M.A. Medical College, New Delhi and Lady Hardinge Medical College, New Delhi are still clubbed together with general duty medical officers who are not required to teach, train and conduct research;

(b) if so, the reasons for a separate cadre of Medical Education, Training and Research (METAR) is not being made for medical teachers of these insltitutions;

(c) whether the Government have received any representation for the CHS Doctors Association regarding policy issues relating to CHS medical teachers;

(d) if so, the details thereof;

(e) whether the Government have set up any committee to look into the grievances of CHS doctors;

(f) if so, the details of members of the said committee thereof and the time by which this committee is likely to submit its report; and
(g) if not, the action taken by the Government to redress the grievances of CHS doctors?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (PROF. RITA VERMA)

(a): No, Sir. The medical teachers employed in the Central Health Service, Post Graduate Institute of Medical Education and Research, Chandigarh and AIIMS are not clubbed together with General duty medical officers.

(b): Does not arise.

(c)&)(d): Yes, sir. The Government has received a representation from Faculty Association of Maulana Azad Medical College and associated Hospitals regarding CHS cadre review.The Association has inter alia represented for a separate identity for medical teachers; professional perquisites; creation of reserve posts for in-service training; correction of anomaly in pay vis-Ã -vis AIIMS faculty and transfer policy-stay at one place for longer period of time.

(e)to(g): A Consultant has been appointed to undertake cadre review of Central Health Service and prepare a report thereon.The report is awaited.